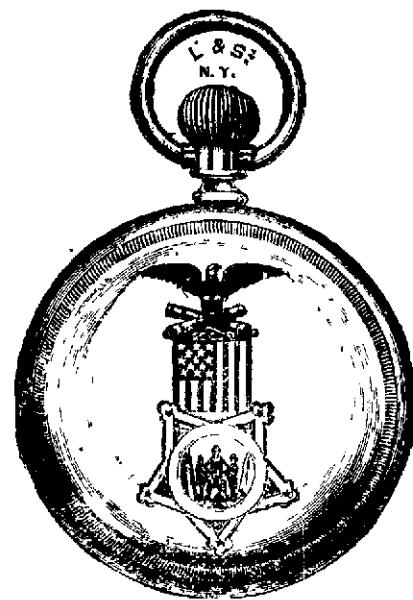


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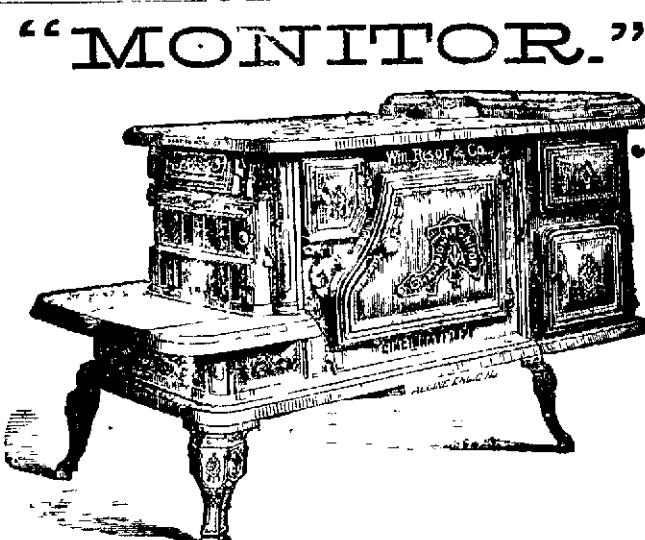
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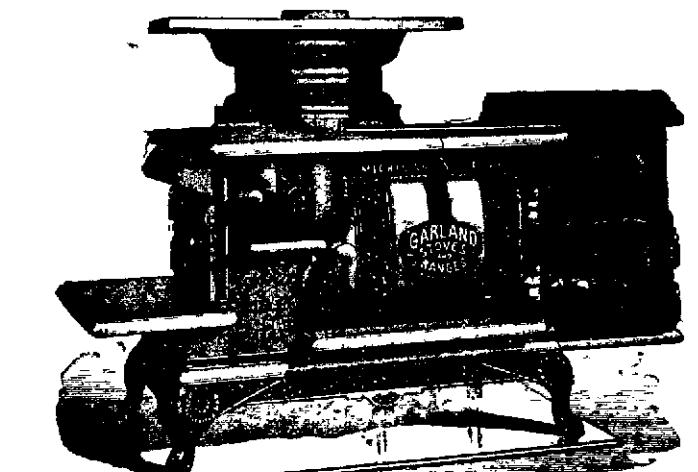
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SATURDAY EVE, APRIL 17, 1886.

LOCAL NEWS.

BABY Carriages, \$25.00 to \$35.00 each, at E. D. BARSTOLOMEW & CO.,
Buy the Mafit ice.

The "Mascot" Monday night.

"Silver Fox" still lingers in town.

GILMORE and his big band on May 4th.

CITY election on Tuesday. Polls at usual voting places.

Dral with Niedermeyer, the Mound grocer.

The Singer folks have received their new V. S. machine.

LADIES' fine Hand-turned Shoes, new goods at Barber & Baker's, 19-dif.

PATRONIZE Hanks & Patterson, the South Water grocers.

INSPECT the stylish furniture at Dusman & Meyer's big double store in Hallowell block. Low prices.

THESE are many new takes of stock in the base ball association. The books are open at E. C. Reese's store.

LOTS of new goods at the 99 Cent Store.

PETER ULLRICH, the live grocer, carries a full line of fresh vegetables, fruits and nice lake fish.

ALWAYS ask for Eclipse and White Dove family flour, sold by all dealers, and made by Hatfield & Co.

LAST evening Justice Eyman united S. J. Buchanan and Miss Nellie Towne in marriage at the county clerk's office.

LEARN C. B. Prescott's very low figures on Haines Bros. pianos and Packard organs. The instruments are the best to be had.

WINSTON & NEWTON, also Devos & Co.'s Tube Colors, at Myer & Son's, ditto.

DIED—On Thursday night in Springfield, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Boyd, of quick consumption, Lula May, daughter of L. C. Haakell, aged 16 years.

"WHAT never, (beg pardon). Have you ever read the advertisement of the T. C. & Co." clothing? Do so now.

The members of the Bloomington city council and a few of the officers are stuck on their shape. They have had their pictures taken in a group to hang in the gallery.

Since the meetings began there have been 31 additions to the Christian church, S during the past week under the preaching of Prof. Black.

PARTIES going East or West, North or South, should call on C. H. Brown, Wash. basket office, Union Depot, 25-dif.

THE funeral of Albert Owen took place this afternoon from the Baptist church, Rev. Vosburgh officiating. The deceased was the eldest son of Owen Owen and was in the 32d year of his age. A large number of friends were in attendance.

FOR low rates to California via rail, parties, single or round trip tickets, call on C. H. Brown, Wash. basket office, Union Depot, mar25-dif.

THERE will be a prohibition ratification meeting to-night at the Tabernacle. A number of speakers will address the meeting. At the meeting candidates for aldermen may be announced. All invited to attend.

ION, ION, Telephone 176.

TRUE statement of payment on Moonhardt's policy in the Home Life Insurance company should read "\$613 more money than any all cash company would have paid on cash outlay," instead of "\$1300.

STRONG your stoves with W. F. Dennis & Bro., and have them put up in the fall in first-class shape. 611 North Water St., mar30-dif.

THE Bluegrass Shop to get your repairing done, your job repainted, strong, durable, new work built to order a specialty.

You can buy an elegant folding cutting table or ironing board for 99 cents at the 99 Cent Store. Also large large clothes hamper and racks for 99 cents. 10-dif.

FOR Artists' Supplies call on Myer & Son, who will give you the lowest prices, ditto.

D. F. HAMMER has the largest and most complete stock of buggies and carriages that has ever been offered in the city. Don't fail to see him before purchasing. He can save you money. Ware rooms on East Wood street between Main and Water.

THE Bluegrass Shop to get your vehicles repaired, repainted and overhauled. We use the best material, and guaranteed our work.

THE German Methodists of Blue Mountain township have decided to build a new church near Boddy. It will cost about \$4,000. Seven members already have put down their names for over \$2,000 of the amount. Fred Bailey gave \$500, John Plottorius \$500, C. Schwab \$300, Henry Jokisch \$300, M. Zitterl \$300, John Sleeter \$150, and another a like amount.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be quite easily cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it.

Sold by S. M. Irwin and C. F. Smith.

SURPRISE Party.

On East Edmund street No. 241 Mr. Jack Ricketts was given a surprise by his wife. Mr. R. had gone to the river fishing and came home to find his neighbors and friends gathered to greet him. It was his 37th birthday. He was not much surprised as "some meddlesome person" had told him; but as soon as he arrived he made the party very enjoyable. Those present were William Sibley, Chas. Turner, Joe Wise, S. Moore, John Peters, James Mitchell, George Harris and their wives, Miss Julia Weston, Mr. Godfrey, John Harris, Dr. Decatur, James Franklin of Athens, III.; George Bytie of Pleasant Hill, Mo. Refreshments were served at 9:30 and the guests departed about 12 o'clock.

UPHOLSTERING.

I most respectfully announce to the citizens and my many customers that we have received my spring stock of goods which is now ready to be shown in which I should like to have you call and see it and learn prices. I have also an entirely new stock of window shades which can't be beaten for styles; also a full line of awning goods which I make up to short notice. There is nothing in the furnishing line that I don't repair, and any style of new parlor furniture made to order. Give me a call when needing anything in my line. G. H. HIRSHMAN & SON, upholsterers.

W. A. Barnes, at 528 North Water Street, is ready to do paper hanging and painting on short notice at reasonable rates.

For a good selection of Studies call on Myer & Son.

APRIL 14-dif.

THE NEW \$12,000 CHURCH.

Part of the Contract Let for the English Lutheran House of Worship.

H. M. Whitmer, M. L. Deck and A. G. Webb are busy just now letting the contract for the erection of a handsome new brick church, to be built this season, for the English Lutheran congregation, on the northwest corner of North Main and William street. The plans were drawn by the architect, M. G. Patterson and the photograph shows the structure to be quite similar in general appearance to the First M. E. Church, only on a smaller scale, and the interior of the audience and lecture rooms are much the same. The new church will be handsome in its external appearance. It will be 50x100 feet in size, set in feet from the pavement. The spire will be 120 feet high, and there will be three entrances, two from North Main and one on the south side at the west end. The audience and lecture rooms will be each 70x30 feet in dimensions, and in the audience room will be an arched organ loft, the pulpit to be below and in front, with rooms on each side for the use of the pastor and the choir. The roof is to be of slate, and considerable Dayton stone will be used for ornamentation. About \$40,000 brick will be used. The improvement will cost about \$12,000. Mr. Patterson will direct the work.

The stone contract has been let to John I. Pasold for \$1,000, and Frank Ebert will put on the slate for \$1,000.

The brick and other work will be let to contractors on Tuesday.

Death of Mrs. Lou Krome.

Mrs. Lou Tanner Krome died this morning at 12:30 o'clock, at the family residence No. 826 North Main street, aged 23 years and one month. The cause of her death was puerperal fever. The deceased was the only daughter of the late Eliza Tanner and the wife of E. B. Krome, a miller by occupation. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Stapp's Chapel, Rev. George Stevens officiating.

In Custody.

Ed Flaherty, the watch factory foreman, charged with the murder of Owen Rooney, in a saloon at Springfield, is in custody. The jury held him to answer. Flaherty denies that he did the shooting.

Hon. J. J. Paddeord and daughter are home from Hot Springs.

Rev. D. P. Dunn will preach at Mt. Pulaski to-morrow.

Levi Katten, lately of the clothing business in Decatur, has left Lubbock for California, where he will locate.

Frank H. Paine, of the Wabash, and Miss Anna Brower, niece of G. D. Randolph, will be married at Newark, N. J., on April 1st. Mr. Paine left for the east last night.

Rev. W. L. Banksou, the popular minister of the C. P. church, is now located at Mt. Zion, having recently removed from Blue Mound to that place.

The Post Case Continued.

The case of the People vs. Herman Post, charged by a Wabash engineer with false pretense and confidence game in the sale of an alleged Howard watch, was called up for trial before Justice Eyman this forenoon. Mr. Post was in court, ready for trial, but owing to the absence of Mr. Snyder, one of the principal witnesses for the prosecution, Mr. Vul, for the People, secured a continuance of the examination until Tuesday, April 27th.

"THE Moon of Mahomed arose, and it shall set," says Shelley; but if you will set a bottle of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in a handy place you will have a quick cure for cough, colds and colds.

The eighth wonder of the world—a benign man limping with rheumatism who had never heard of Salvation. Oil. Price 25 cents a bottle.

"French Spy" To-Night.

To-night the farewell performance by the Isaacs Company will be the thrilling military drama, "French Spy," which will be given with the full strength of the combination. Miss Castle assuming the leading character.

There was a fair audience out last night to see "Fogg's Fairy."

Decatur is to-day receiving a general serenade from a traveling German band of six or eight pieces. The players are uniformed and all are good musicians, playing selections that are familiar and popular. The crowds are invited to drop nickels, dimes and dollars in the hat. No dollars, many nickels.

Resigned.

Manager Bradbury, Traffic Manager Parker and Chas. Enginer Allen, of the P. & E. railroad, have all tendered their resignations, to take effect the first of May.

It was reported on the streets to-day that the manager of the Crown company had received orders from the militia at East St. Louis to send down 1500 pairs of roller skates to run the troublesome strikers out of the town. The boys want to come home.

BAKER & FESTIVAL.

The ladies of Decatur will give a fair and festival at the Tabernacle on Thursday and Friday, April 29 and 30, for the benefit of Goodman's band. Supper will be served on Thursday evening, and dinner and supper on Friday. A large number of useful and ornamental articles will also be on sale both days. Admission, 10 cts.; dinner, 35 cts. 16 dif.

FRANKLIN PRIEST to-day comes to the front again as a candidate for alderman in the first ward. Mr. Priest has been connected with the city government, off and on, since a time when the memory of man cannot be found not to the contrary. He ought to be, and is, thoroughly conversant with city affairs.

ABOVE 11 o'clock Thursday morning at last week the old "Hickory Mansion" at Sardis was discovered to be on fire.

The building was occupied by Francis Holden, of Decatur, and served as residence and tin shop. All attempts to put out the flames were in vain, and the shop was soon in ashes.

We stayed at Veteran Inn.

McConnel's Ranch at dark put up for the night—stayed in a stall and stable; cold rain.

Left Sardis at 6 a.m. March 24th.

Crowds of strikers were at the Union depot.

Arrived at Kansas City at 10:40 for Lakin, Kansas.

A. T. & S. P. road, arriving at 7 a.m. the next morning; found everything booming. Left Lakin Friday noon, for Frisco; passed McConnel's Ranch at dark, put up for the night—in a stall and stable; cold rain.

Left Sardis at 6 a.m. March 25th.

Arrived at Frisco at 9 a.m. via Midland Railway.

To Peoria, then to the Lake, via Chicago.

Chicago and Kansas City at 6 a.m. March 26th.

Arrived at Lakin, Kansas at 10:40 a.m. for Frisco.

Arrived at Frisco at 11:30 a.m. via the San Joaquin.

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Arrived at Frisco at 7:30 p.m. via the San Joaquin.

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